

We claim:

1 1. A project development Website comprising at least one Web page,  
2 wherein a user can select between categories to concurrently search for  
3 multiple aspects of a project thereby locating project directed resources  
4 related to said multiple aspects.

1 2. The project development Website of claim 1, further comprising:  
2 a multi-dimensional knowledge base defined by said categories, said  
3 multi-dimensional knowledge base being an indexed database indexed  
4 according to said categories and having a plurality of nodes, each said  
5 node being a URL.

1 3. The project development Website of claim 2 wherein said categories  
2 are selected from the group consisting of Life Cycle, Operating Region,  
3 Operating Country, Industry Sector, and Supporting Services.

1 4. The project development Website of claim 2, wherein said category  
2 is Life Cycle, further comprising:  
3 project phases for determining a project's progress where each said  
4 phase is defined according to functional tasks, said project directed  
5 resources being located using said project phase as a selection criteria.

1 5. The project development Website of claim 2, wherein each said  
2 URL has its own attributes.

1 6. The project development Website of claim 1, further comprising:  
2 a user key for entering the Website.

1 7. The project development Website of claim 6, wherein said key is a  
2 user password.

1 8. A project development Website wherein a user selects between  
2 categories to concurrently search for multiple aspects of a project thereby  
3 locating project directed resources wherein said multiple aspects of said  
4 project are pre-selected Uniform Resource Locators (URLs).

1 9. A project development Website comprising at least one Web page  
2 for navigating through pre-defined categories to locate project directed  
3 resources identified in a multi-dimensional knowledge base wherein:  
4 said multi-dimensional knowledge base being an indexed database  
5 and having multiple entry points, where said pre-defined categories are  
6 said multiple entry points;  
7 each said pre-defined category having sub-categories for navigating  
8 through said multi-dimensional knowledge base to locate said project  
9 directed resources; and

10 each said project directed resources being a URL.

1 10. The project development Website of claim 8, wherein one of said  
2 pre-defined categories is selected from the group consisting of Life Cycle,  
3 Operating Region, Operating Country, Industry Sector, and Supporting  
4 Services.

1 11. A method for using an Internet appliance to develop a business  
2 project on a project development Website, comprising the steps of:  
3 using said Internet appliance, initiating a navigated search of an indexed  
4 knowledge base;

5 selecting a super category from the group consisting of Life Cycle,  
6 Operating Region, Operating Country, Industry Sector, and Supporting  
7 Services, where said super categories are indexed in said indexed  
8 knowledge base;

9 searching said indexed knowledge base for Internet resources  
10 corresponding to said navigated search of said selected super category;

11 and

12 displaying on said Internet appliance, a group of pertinent URLs.

1 12. The method of claim 11, where said selected super category is Life  
2 Cycle, further comprising the step of:

3 identifying the project phase of said Life Cycle said project is in.

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1 13. The method of claim 12, wherein said project phase limits said  
2 navigated search of said indexed knowledge base to only those URL's  
3 whose associated Website provides information, data, or services  
4 applicable to said project phase.

1 14. The method of claim 11, wherein each URL in said group of  
2 pertinent URLs has its own attributes.

1 15. The method of claim 11, where the step of initiating a navigated  
2 search of an indexed knowledge base further comprises the step of:  
3 entering said project development Website by using a key.

1 16. The method of claim 15, wherein said key is a user password.

2 17. A method for using an Internet appliance to develop a business  
3 project on a project development Website, comprising the steps of:  
4 using said Internet appliance;  
5 initiating a search of an indexed knowledge base where said search  
6 may be a navigated search of pre-determined super categories or a  
7 keyword search;  
8 selecting a super category from the group consisting of Life Cycle,  
9 Operating Region, Operating Country, Industry Sector, and Supporting

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10 Services, where said super categories are indexed in said indexed  
11 knowledge base, if a navigated search is selected;  
12 searching said indexed knowledge base for Internet resources  
13 corresponding to said navigated search of said selected super category;  
14 displaying on said Internet appliance, a group of pertinent URLs  
15 corresponding to said navigated search;  
16 entering a keyword, if a keyword search is selected;  
17 searching said indexed knowledge base for Internet resources  
18 corresponding to said keyword; and  
19 displaying on said Internet appliance, a group of pertinent URLs  
20 corresponding to said keyword search.

1 18. The method of claim 17, wherein said group of pertinent URLs is a  
2 group of URLs each being identified to an Internet Website, where more  
3 than one of said Internet Websites are service provider, further  
4 comprising the steps of:  
5 using a secure deal space;  
6 requesting bids from said service providers;  
7 receiving said bids from said service providers;  
8 selecting a bid from among said received bids, thereby choosing  
9 one of said service providers; and  
10 negotiating a contract for services from said selected service  
11 provider.

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